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**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF DELAWARE**

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,)

v.)

) Criminal Action No. 08- III

THOMAS S. PENDLETON,)

Defendant.)

INDICTMENT

The Grand Jury for the District of Delaware charges that:

COUNT ONE

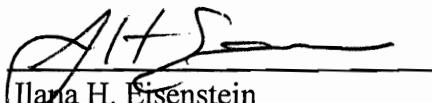
From on or about November 25, 2005, and continuing through on or about May 2006, THOMAS S. PENDLETON, defendant herein and a citizen of the United States, did travel in foreign commerce, to wit from the State and District of Delaware, and elsewhere, to the Federal Republic of Germany, and while in Germany the defendant did knowingly engage in illicit sexual conduct, on or about May 27, 2006, to wit, the intentional touching, not through the clothing, of the genitalia of another person who has not attained the age of 16 years with an intent to abuse, humiliate, harass, degrade, or arouse or gratify the sexual desire of any person, in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section 2423(c).

A TRUE BILL:

Foreperson

COLM F. CONNOLLY
United States Attorney

BY:


Ilana H. Eisenstein
Assistant United States Attorney

Dated: July 24, 2008